

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE:)	
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RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF JUDGES TO PERMIT)	
LAWYERS, THE NEWS MEDIA AND JURORS TO)	
BRING CELLULAR TELEPHONES LAPTOP COMPUTERS)	
AND PDA DEVICES (a/k/a PALM PILOTS) INTO THE)	MISCELLANEOUS NO. 03-451
FEDERAL COURTHOUSES IN THIS DISTRICT)	

AMENDED ORDER OF COURT

AND NOW, this 30th day of January, 2006, pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Judges,

It is ORDERED that individuals reporting for jury duty, lawyers and members of the news media, with proper identification, shall be and are authorized to bring cellular telephones, laptop computers and PDA, personal data assistant devices (a/k/a Palm pilots), into the United States Courthouses in Erie, Johnstown and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania effective January 30, 2006.

It is further ORDERED that no cellular telephones shall be used or activated for any purpose during any judicial proceeding.

It is also ORDERED that no cellular telephones, laptop computers or personal data assistant devices (palm pilots) shall be used to take photographs, transmit images or record in any way during the course of judicial proceedings.

It is finally ORDERED that the United States Marshal shall post copies of this Order at all entrances of the Federal Courthouses in the Western District of Pennsylvania.

BY THE COURT:



Donetta W. Ambrose, Chief U.S. District Judge